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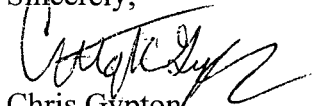
RE: Revised (August 30, 2001 rev.) Soil Sampling and Analysis Workplan; Apex Site

Dear Ms. Pearson:

Enclosed please find the above referenced workplan. It has been revised in accordance with our phone conference with you on August 14, 2001. Please note that the appendices are the same as those submitted with the June 22nd revision.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to call me at (208) 769-4135 or e-mail at cgypton@hecla-mining.com

Sincerely,


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Enclosures

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